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Dear Examiner Fubara:

This is Response and the accompanying Request for Continued Examination address the Final Office Action mailed on November 30, 2004, which has a shortened statutory period for reply that ends on March 1, 2005.